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KENTUCKY LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES  
PRELIMINARY MARCH 2004  
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COUNTY	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE		
				Mar 04	Feb 04	Mar 03
Statewide	1,968,686	1,854,144	114,542	5.8%	6.2%	6.5%
PURCHASE	94,699	87,921	6,778	7.2%	7.3%	7.8%
BALLARD	4,035	3,611	424	10.5%	9.1%	9.1%
CALLOWAY	17,539	16,640	899	5.1%	6.0%	8.3%
CARLISLE	2,637	2,438	199	7.5%	8.1%	8.9%
FULTON	3,496	3,068	428	12.2%	12.7%	10.1%
GRAVES	17,540	16,091	1,449	8.3%	8.6%	7.7%
HICKMAN	2,460	2,243	217	8.8%	8.6%	9.8%
MCCRACKEN	32,601	30,702	1,899	5.8%	5.4%	6.1%
MARSHALL	14,391	13,128	1,263	8.8%	9.7%	9.6%
PENNYRILE	90,416	84,542	5,874	6.5%	6.8%	7.0%
CALDWELL	6,571	6,258	313	4.8%	5.1%	6.6%
CHRISTIAN	28,781	27,035	1,746	6.1%	5.9%	5.8%
CRITTENDEN	3,853	3,580	273	7.1%	8.4%	8.8%
HOPKINS	19,371	18,040	1,331	6.9%	7.4%	6.5%
LIVINGSTON	5,047	4,587	460	9.1%	9.3%	9.9%
LYON	3,334	3,056	278	8.3%	8.6%	11.9%
MUHLENBERG	12,416	11,491	925	7.5%	8.4%	8.7%
TODD	4,923	4,718	205	4.2%	4.3%	5.1%
TRIGG	6,120	5,777	343	5.6%	5.9%	6.6%
GREEN RIVER	101,914	96,163	5,751	5.6%	6.1%	6.9%
DAVIESS	48,618	46,036	2,582	5.3%	5.7%	6.5%
HANCOCK	3,819	3,544	275	7.2%	8.2%	8.7%
HENDERSON	24,076	22,927	1,149	4.8%	4.8%	5.6%
MCLEAN	4,172	3,893	279	6.7%	8.4%	8.5%
OHIO	10,069	9,189	880	8.7%	8.9%	10.7%
UNION	5,741	5,411	330	5.7%	6.3%	6.6%
WEBSTER	5,419	5,163	256	4.7%	5.8%	6.5%
BARREN RIVER	125,879	119,315	6,564	5.2%	5.9%	6.5%
ALLEN	8,214	7,469	745	9.1%	9.9%	7.5%
BARREN	17,958	17,148	810	4.5%	5.4%	5.1%
BUTLER	6,198	5,807	391	6.3%	8.6%	8.7%
EDMONSON	4,979	4,631	348	7.0%	8.6%	9.1%
HART	7,665	7,339	326	4.3%	5.5%	6.4%
LOGAN	11,561	10,975	586	5.1%	5.5%	7.6%
METCALFE	4,634	4,492	142	3.1%	3.6%	4.7%
MONROE	4,410	4,160	250	5.7%	9.0%	10.1%
SIMPSON	8,340	7,919	421	5.0%	5.4%	6.0%
WARREN	51,920	49,375	2,545	4.9%	4.9%	5.9%

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LINCOLN TRAIL	118,433	111,007	7,426	6.3%	7.2%	7.1%
BRECKINRIDGE	8,156	7,475	681	8.3%	10.1%	10.6%
GRAYSON	12,695	11,783	912	7.2%	8.6%	10.3%
HARDIN	41,633	38,830	2,803	6.7%	7.3%	6.6%
LARUE	6,831	6,512	319	4.7%	5.2%	5.6%
MARION	11,787	11,302	485	4.1%	4.5%	5.0%
MEADE	11,223	10,470	753	6.7%	8.0%	7.2%
NELSON	19,941	18,811	1,130	5.7%	7.1%	7.1%
WASHINGTON	6,167	5,824	343	5.6%	5.7%	5.0%
KIPDA	469,398	444,619	24,779	5.3%	5.5%	5.7%
BULLITT	34,307	32,437	1,870	5.5%	6.0%	6.1%
HENRY	7,653	7,340	313	4.1%	5.4%	5.2%
JEFFERSON	373,372	352,808	20,564	5.5%	5.6%	5.9%
OLDHAM	25,786	24,945	841	3.3%	3.3%	3.4%
SHELBY	18,785	18,123	662	3.5%	4.0%	5.4%
SPENCER	5,895	5,603	292	5.0%	5.9%	4.9%
TRIMBLE	3,600	3,363	237	6.6%	7.3%	5.8%
NORTHERN KENTUCKY	212,308	201,145	11,163	5.3%	5.8%	5.6%
BOONE	51,468	48,992	2,476	4.8%	5.4%	5.1%
CAMPBELL	46,145	43,747	2,398	5.2%	5.6%	5.1%
CARROLL	5,672	5,285	387	6.8%	6.4%	9.3%
GALLATIN	3,952	3,694	258	6.5%	7.1%	7.5%
GRANT	11,578	10,853	725	6.3%	7.5%	7.8%
KENTON	82,244	77,886	4,358	5.3%	5.6%	5.2%
OWEN	4,234	4,024	210	5.0%	6.3%	5.4%
PENDLETON	7,015	6,664	351	5.0%	7.0%	8.7%
BUFFALO TRACE	23,907	21,983	1,924	8.0%	9.0%	10.4%
BRACKEN	3,884	3,549	335	8.6%	10.0%	8.6%
FLEMING	6,340	5,883	457	7.2%	7.9%	8.0%
LEWIS	4,385	3,780	605	13.8%	15.5%	13.0%
MASON	8,269	7,795	474	5.7%	6.0%	11.9%
ROBERTSON	1,029	976	53	5.2%	7.7%	7.6%
GATEWAY	39,386	36,611	2,775	7.0%	7.9%	8.2%
BATH	6,204	5,678	526	8.5%	9.1%	10.1%
MENIFEE	3,245	3,035	210	6.5%	8.5%	11.2%
MONTGOMERY	13,620	12,699	921	6.8%	7.5%	6.9%
MORGAN	4,970	4,430	540	10.9%	11.9%	14.2%
ROWAN	11,347	10,769	578	5.1%	5.7%	5.1%

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FIVCO	60,352	54,928	5,424	9.0%	9.2%	8.1%
BOYD	23,037	21,283	1,754	7.6%	7.2%	7.3%
CARTER	12,056	10,511	1,545	12.8%	13.2%	10.4%
ELLIOTT	2,896	2,526	370	12.8%	11.8%	8.3%
GREENUP	16,805	15,528	1,277	7.6%	8.2%	7.0%
LAWRENCE	5,558	5,080	478	8.6%	10.1%	9.9%
BIG SANDY	58,259	54,024	4,235	7.3%	7.3%	8.1%
FLOYD	13,984	12,977	1,007	7.2%	7.6%	8.5%
JOHNSON	9,788	9,060	728	7.4%	6.5%	7.3%
MAGOFFIN	5,359	4,440	919	17.1%	16.2%	12.1%
MARTIN	3,710	3,454	256	6.9%	7.0%	9.2%
PIKE	25,418	24,093	1,325	5.2%	5.6%	7.3%
KENTUCKY RIVER	41,411	38,145	3,266	7.9%	8.6%	9.6%
BREATHITT	4,241	3,813	428	10.1%	11.1%	12.1%
KNOTT	6,006	5,621	385	6.4%	6.3%	5.4%
LEE	2,666	2,463	203	7.6%	9.5%	10.1%
LESLIE	4,311	3,992	319	7.4%	7.9%	9.2%
LETCHER	7,732	7,116	616	8.0%	8.7%	13.1%
OWSLEY	1,783	1,656	127	7.1%	9.4%	7.5%
PERRY	11,784	10,837	947	8.0%	8.5%	8.7%
WOLFE	2,888	2,647	241	8.3%	9.9%	9.5%
CUMBERLAND VALLEY	90,347	84,212	6,135	6.8%	7.3%	8.1%
BELL	9,620	9,010	610	6.3%	6.6%	8.9%
CLAY	7,674	7,215	459	6.0%	7.3%	10.4%
HARLAN	9,234	8,428	806	8.7%	8.8%	11.9%
JACKSON	6,935	6,613	322	4.6%	4.9%	6.5%
KNOX	11,359	10,476	883	7.8%	7.3%	8.5%
LAUREL	24,688	22,930	1,758	7.1%	8.0%	7.1%
ROCKCASTLE	6,270	5,900	370	5.9%	7.1%	6.4%
WHITLEY	14,567	13,640	927	6.4%	6.5%	6.8%
LAKE CUMBERLAND	85,115	79,406	5,709	6.7%	7.5%	8.6%
ADAIR	7,616	7,138	478	6.3%	6.4%	6.5%
CASEY	6,991	6,426	565	8.1%	7.7%	8.6%
CLINTON	6,390	5,895	495	7.7%	8.0%	10.4%
CUMBERLAND	2,904	2,625	279	9.6%	11.0%	9.0%
GREEN	4,622	4,345	277	6.0%	7.8%	9.1%
MCCREARY	5,771	5,284	487	8.4%	9.5%	11.9%
PULASKI	26,699	25,243	1,456	5.5%	6.3%	8.2%
RUSSELL	5,752	5,149	603	10.5%	12.2%	11.8%
TAYLOR	9,461	8,845	616	6.5%	7.2%	7.6%
WAYNE	8,909	8,456	453	5.1%	5.9%	6.6%

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BLUEGRASS	356,862	340,125	16,737	4.7%	4.8%	5.2%
ANDERSON	10,026	9,617	409	4.1%	4.5%	4.4%
BOURBON	9,337	8,883	454	4.9%	5.1%	6.4%
BOYLE	14,390	13,382	1,008	7.0%	7.1%	8.6%
CLARK	15,839	15,026	813	5.1%	5.8%	6.2%
ESTILL	5,645	5,141	504	8.9%	9.7%	7.9%
FAYETTE	142,046	137,076	4,970	3.5%	3.5%	3.9%
FRANKLIN	24,669	23,844	825	3.3%	3.7%	3.9%
GARRARD	7,913	7,454	459	5.8%	6.7%	5.9%
HARRISON	7,427	6,801	626	8.4%	8.3%	8.0%
JESSAMINE	20,995	20,289	706	3.4%	3.6%	3.8%
LINCOLN	11,722	10,584	1,138	9.7%	9.7%	9.8%
MADISON	36,791	34,527	2,264	6.2%	5.4%	5.0%
MERCER	10,627	10,020	607	5.7%	6.2%	7.6%
NICHOLAS	2,316	2,115	201	8.7%	11.0%	10.2%
POWELL	6,280	5,645	635	10.1%	11.1%	10.1%
SCOTT	18,248	17,475	773	4.2%	4.5%	6.9%
WOODFORD	12,591	12,246	345	2.7%	3.0%	4.5%
LEXINGTON MSA	255,845	245,521	10,324	4.0%	4.1%	4.5%
LOUISVILLE MSA	553,652	524,706	28,946	5.2%	5.4%	5.6%